

or discover any such to Appear or come into this Province without giving immediate notice thereof to his Excellency the Governour or some Coll<sup>o</sup> or Magistrate of note by whom the same may be communicated with all Expedition to the Governor of this Province for the time being for his directions therein and if such strange Indian shall Endeavour to induce them to destroy the White People or do any Mischief they shall Apprehend & deliver such strange Indian to the English

Black Book  
No. 11  
Letter No. 4

11<sup>thly</sup> That if any disputes shall Arise between the said Chief [s or their] Subjects and any other Indian Nation in [Maryland that] they cannot settle between themselves it shall be [referred to] the Governor and Council

12<sup>thly</sup> That the English and Indians shall hereafter be as one People and shall Assist each other against all Persons whatsoever that shall make Warr with or Attack either of them and if either shall hear that any Persons intend to damage the other Notice shall be immediately given of the danger

13<sup>thly</sup> [That as a further Testimony of their League Peace and Friendship] with his Lordship the Lord Proprietor of this Province and expect Protection from him & his Government that the said Chiefs and their Successors shall pack and deliver unto the Coll<sup>o</sup> of Dorchester County for the Lord Proprietary his heirs & Successors two Bows and two dozen of Arrows Yearly upon the tenth Day of October as an Acknowledgement of his Lordships Dominion Over them and as a Pledge of Peace also In Confirmation whereof his Excellency Samuel Ogle Esq<sup>r</sup> Governor in Chief of the Province on behalf of his said Lordship and John Coursey and Chinehopper . . . . on behalf of themselves and the Indians under their Subjection have signed hereto in presence of his Lordships Council and of several of the Great Men of the Indians the day and Year abovementioned and the Great Seal of this Province is hereunto Affixed

Sam: Ogle

The mark } of John Coursey

The mark C of John Chinehopper

[A similar treaty much torn is found in Black Book 11 No 7 between Gov. Ogle and Chiefs Simon and Captain Job (both marksmen) on behalf of the Broad Creek Indian Towns. The treaty differs from the one just given in that the 4<sup>th</sup> Article contained a lost provision as to "the Choice of an Emperour," and that in the last Article the annual tribute was to be paid to "the Collo of Somerset County." A third treaty also considerably torn is found in Black Book 11 No. 7 between Gov. Ogle and Chiefs Bastobell, John Wittoneris, Jeremy Peake and George Rokahaum on behalf of the Assateague and Pocomoke Towns. Here tribute was to be paid to the Collo of Somerset County and the opening part of the 5<sup>th</sup> Article is "that the said Chiefs shall never Join with the Nanticoke Indians